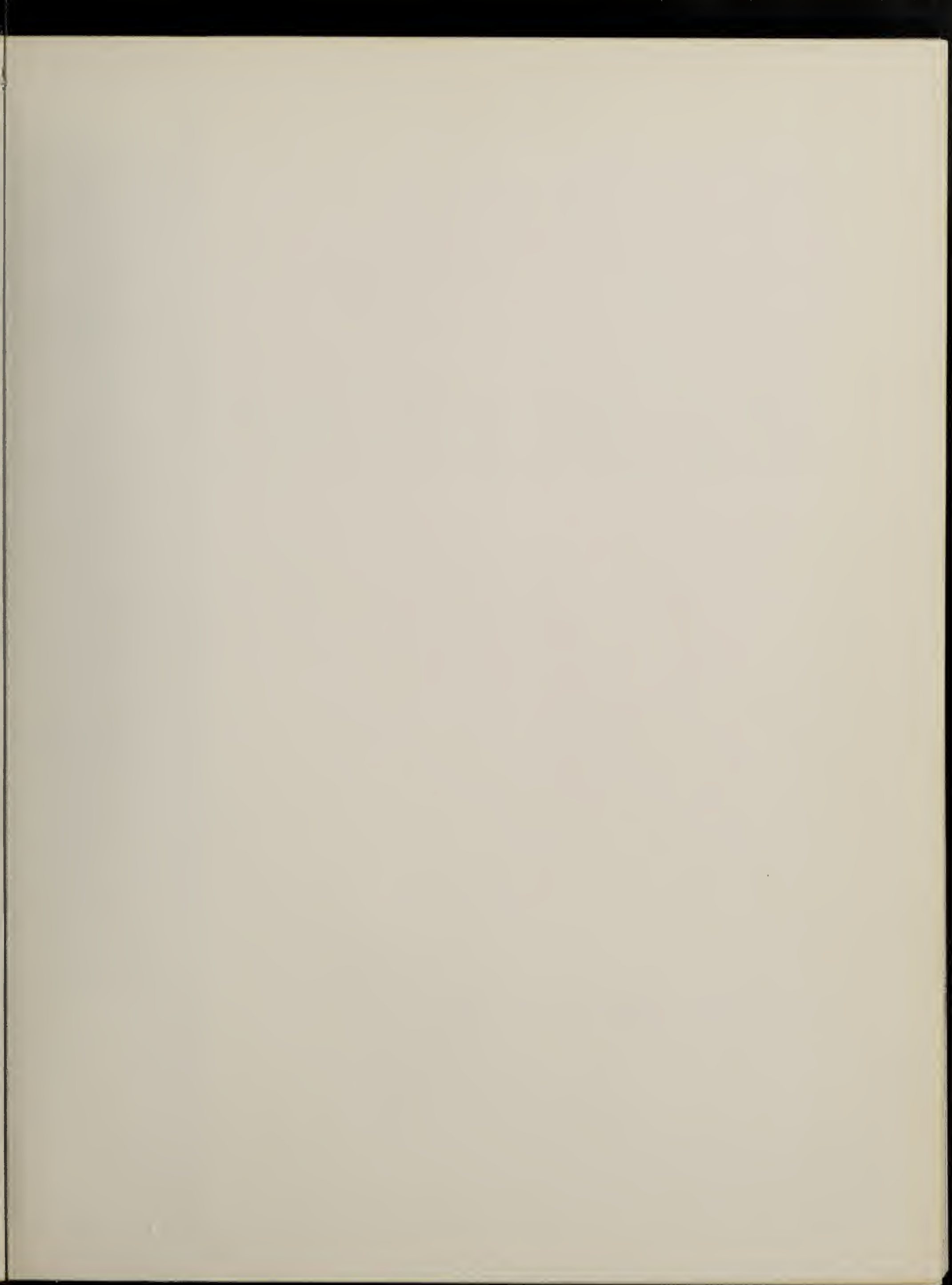




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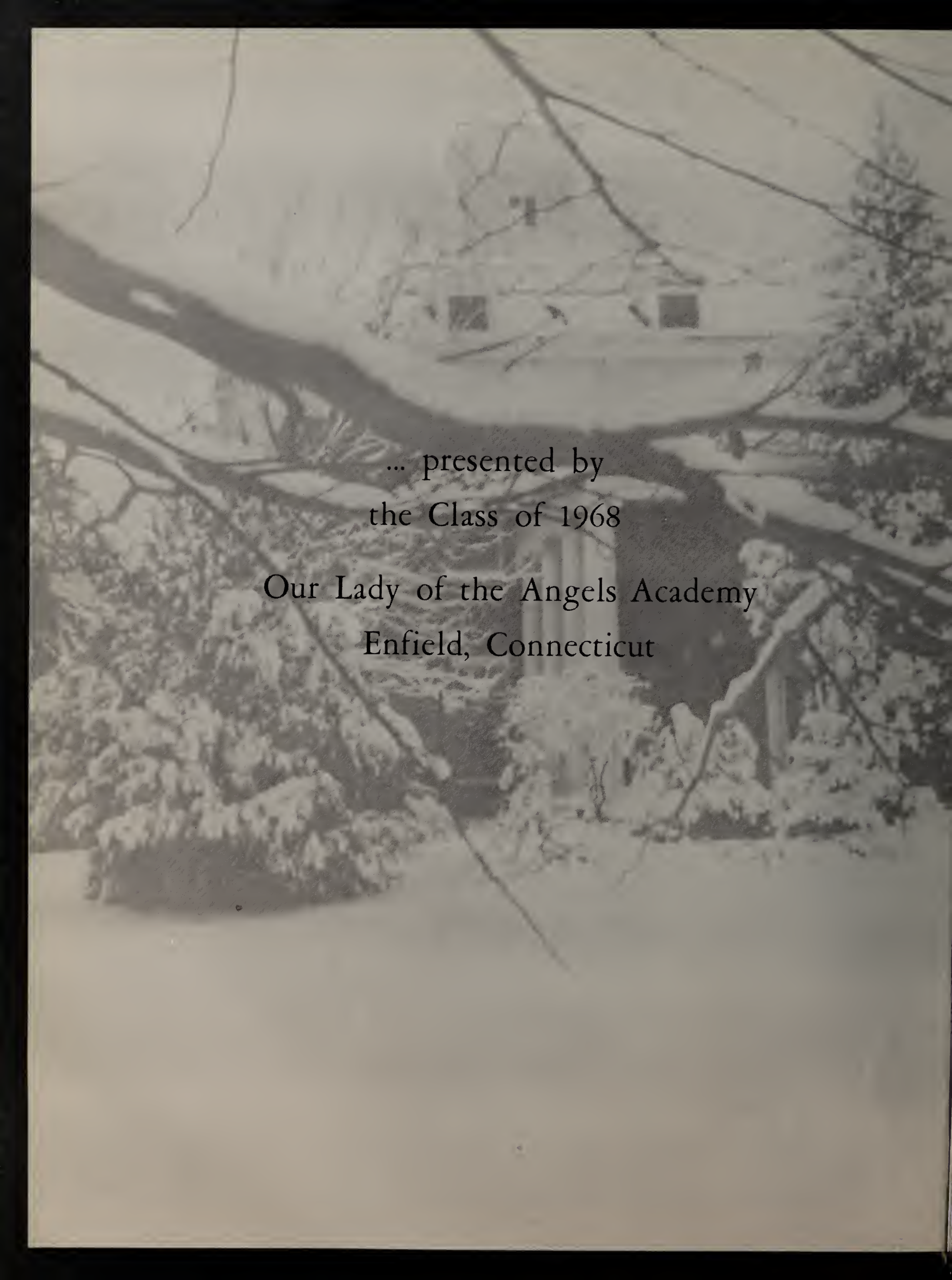


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... presented by  
the Class of 1968

Our Lady of the Angels Academy  
Enfield, Connecticut



To  
give :

To give all that I am.

To  
be  
one  
with  
all  
men.

This  
is

the aim of

my very life. To love, to appease, to fulfill.

Another man's sorrow is my sorrow.

Another man's joy is mine.

*I am concerned.*

Dear Folks,

I'm writing this letter as my last one. You've probably already received word that I'm dead and that the government wishes to express its deepest regrets.

Believe me, I didn't want to die, but I know it was part of my job. I want my Country to live for billions and billions of years to come.

I want it to stand as a light to all people oppressed and guide them to the same freedom we know. If we can stand and fight for freedom, then I think we have done the job God set down for us.

It's up to every American to fight for the freedom we hold so dear. If we don't, the smell of free air could become dark and damp as in a prison cell. We won't be able to look at ourselves in a mirror, much less at our sons and daughters, because we know we have failed our God, Country and our future generations.

I can hold my head high because I fought, whether it be in heaven or hell. Besides, the saying goes, "One more GI from Vietnam, St. Peter. I've served my time in hell."

I fought for my sisters, for Mom and Dad. But when Sis' kids get old enough, they'll probably have to fight, too. Tell them to go proudly and without fear of death because it is worth keeping the land free.

I remember a story from a high school English class when I was a freshman that said, "Cowards die a thousand times. The brave die but once."

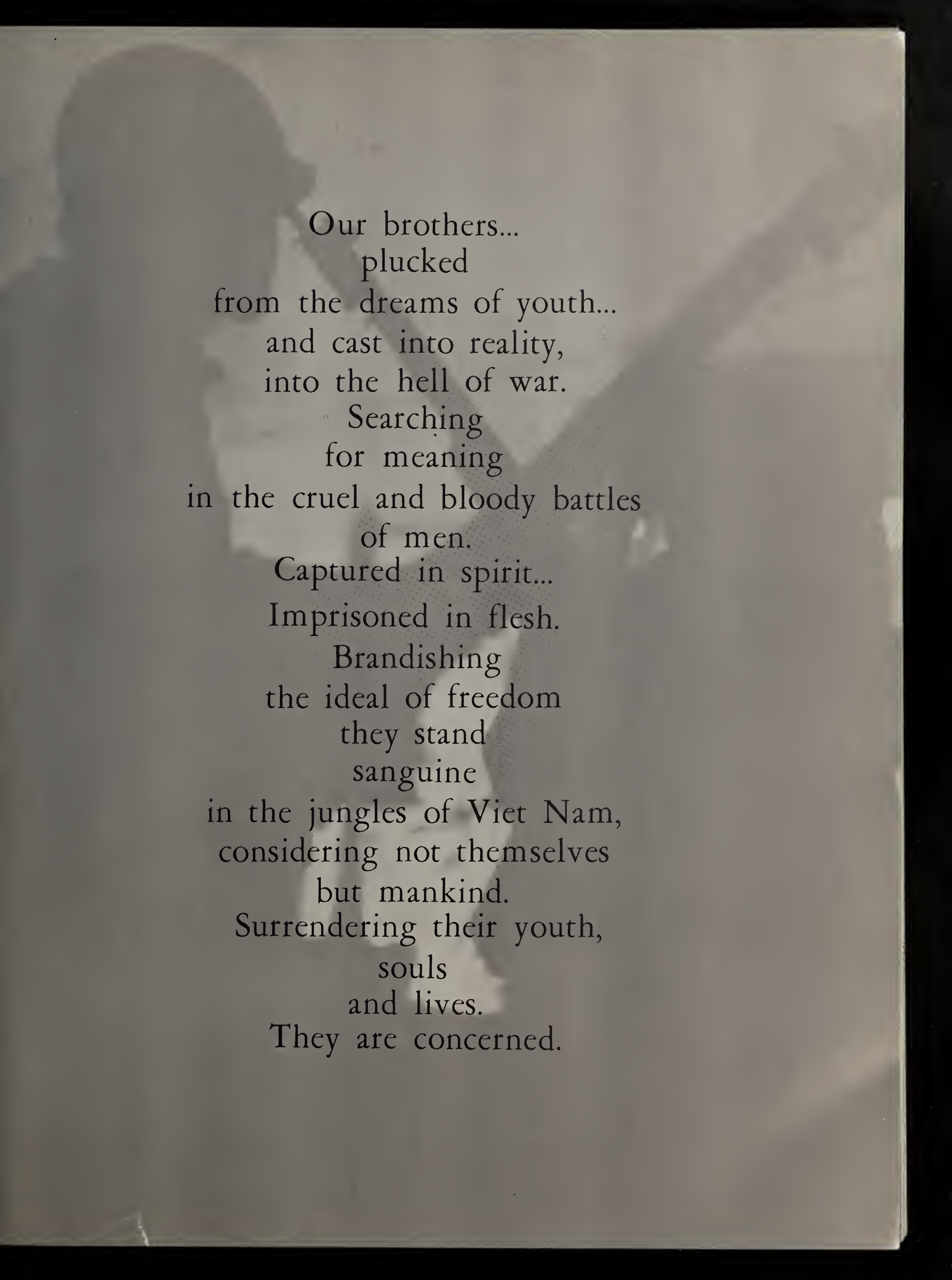
Don't mourn me, Mother, for I'm happy I died fighting my Country's enemies, and I will live forever in people's minds. I've done what I've always dreamed of. Don't mourn for me, for I died a soldier of the United States of America.

God bless you all and take care. I'll be seeing you in heaven.

Your loving son and brother,

Butch





Our brothers...  
plucked  
from the dreams of youth...  
and cast into reality,  
into the hell of war.  
Searching  
for meaning  
in the cruel and bloody battles  
of men.  
Captured in spirit...  
Imprisoned in flesh.  
Brandishing  
the ideal of freedom  
they stand  
sanguine  
in the jungles of Viet Nam,  
considering not themselves  
but mankind.  
Surrendering their youth,  
souls  
and lives.  
They are concerned.

## Prologue

We are America's youth. The year 1968 has been a chapter in our growth, one filled with progress, struggle, and an increasing awareness of the world around us. The rapid pace of the Atomic Age has not allowed us to sit back and relax, but to become involved and prepared to face society. The world which we will inherit is vastly different from that which our parents faced; there is a growing awareness that involvement is a necessary part of our daily lives.

The advancements that have been made are only a beginning. We hold the future in our hands; whether it brings war or peace, we are responsible for molding it for our children. It is our participation and experience in today's world that will one day aid us in serving as leaders. Indeed, 1968 has been a year of events and awakenings which have broadened our intellectual horizons.

The megaversity has been the latest innovation in higher education. Institutions, composed of undergraduate colleges, graduate schools, and research centers are scattered throughout the country, closed-circuit television rapidly replacing the teacher. The standard grading system has been widely abolished, and students may now work at their own pace. Despite problems accompanying these innovations, the field of education has taken great strides in development.

Man's interest has broadened to include not only the shrinking world but also the reaches of space. The National Aeronautics and Space Administration is spending more than one hundred million dollars to improve the first manned Apollo flight, still a goal of the future. An increasing number of satellites, rockets, and experimental aircraft fore shadow "traffic jams" in the ionosphere. The Soviet Union and the United States remain contenders for first place in the space contest.

An unfortunate result of technological advancements has been the tendency to forget the importance of God. A recent theory proposed propagates the "death of God". The phrase "God is Dead", introduced by Friedrich Nietzsche in 1882, has propounded a new, controversial philosophy, preached by such theologians as Paul Van Buren, Thomas Altizer, Gabriel Vahanian, and William Hamilton. The relatively small number of disciples of this movement, rejecting the world's idea of the Creator, have chosen a radical approach to redefine the concept of God.

As a result of Vatican II, the Liturgy has taken on a more personal meaning, especially to youth. The birth of the folk Mass, with its guitars and appropriate folk songs, as well as community Masses celebrated in the home, are a testimony to the sincerity and the enthusiasm of today's worshippers. The numerous changes in the Mass itself allow for more active participation by the people, and ecumenical services have increased the feeling of unity among the different religions.

The growing rapport among the churches, however, has not yet influenced interracial relations. The anger within urban ghettos that boils over into destructive riots has brought foreboding among both whites and blacks that the American society could be sliding toward a violent racial showdown. The problems of the American Negro are closely linked with other major United States issues: the population shift to the cities, the growth of urban rot, and the instability of economy in the wake of rapid technological changes. The present generation of Americans, attempting to end these crises, sees the "American dream" as a nightmare to persecute minority groups. The untimely assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Crusader of nonviolence, brought with it the realization that complacency was no longer a solution to the problem. Coupled with the strife between the races, the war in Vietnam also illustrates man's unsuccessful struggle for peace. It is the most divisive war the United States has ever fought in, with large segments of the academic and intellectual community arguing its merits. The courage and hope of the young men who are fighting, and of those who have already given their lives is a testimony to the faith that mankind may some day live in peace.

1968 has been a memorable year—one of progress, but seasoned with turmoil. We



have witnessed fruitful endeavors for peace and regressive battles of war. This year has thrust us, America's youth, out of our glass houses and into the real world. Space exploration, ecumenism, and poverty, and rioting have made us more aware of our moral and social obligation, and have sparked the fire of concern to a true burning flame. Undeniably, this year has marked a great step in our development as members of society. This was 1968.



## IN MEMORIAM

Christianity is for men,  
And men fall, and they must be lifted up again, and again . . .  
And men fail, and they must be given another chance, and another . . .  
And men cherish life in this life  
And they must be given  
Both the reason and the material to use it well . . .  
Mother Mary Annunciata, C.S.S.F. is one  
Who lived in that understanding.  
She was a valiant woman, a pioneer, an educator,  
a dedicated religious.  
Philadelphia: 1887—Enfield: 1968.  
Within this framework:  
Detroit: 1902, responded "to come to the altar of God",  
the God Who was joy to her youth.  
Began religious formation at the Felician Sisters Aspirancy.  
Middletown, Connecticut: South Boston, Massachusetts: 1912, 1918-  
Principal of Elementary School.  
Lodi, New Jersey: 1922, Provincial Councillor and Director of Orphanage.  
Enfield, Connecticut: 1932- Foundress and Provincial Superior of  
Enfield Province.  
1944- Foundress and President of Our Lady of the  
Angels Academy.  
Krakow, Poland; Rome, Italy: 1946-1953: Vicar General of the Congregation.  
Enfield, Connecticut: 1959- Assistant Provincial.  
Bangor, Maine: 1964- Assistant Administrator of the St. Joseph Hospital.  
For sixty-six years among her people, among God's people,  
She built, she dreamed, she gave of herself, entering into the  
heart of her mission.  
She made men better by the force of her life.  
She became better by the force of Christ in her.  
On January 20, 1968, she left the meaning of that life to others,  
To her fellow sisters, to us, the students at her academy.  
We will begin again, but not the same.  
Because she has changed us.  
Mother Annunciata has left us with the Peace and Love of Christ . . .  
Now, in fullness, her own reward.





MOTHER MARY ANNUNCIATA, C.S.S.F.

The class of 1968 is now a part of the legend of OLA. Our hearts burst with memories of four years—years gone by, never to be relived. Every girl has dreamed of someday taking pride in her own yearbook, and this fancy is now a reality for us. The production of our *Angelican* has truly been the gold link in our chain of friendship.

Hours in the press room . . . midnight oil . . . missing pictures . . . soliciting for patrons . . . words of encouragement . . . these have been integral parts of yearbook work. There have been dark hours of doubt and sunny times of accomplishment. We have worked to attain our goals, but it is because of the aid and guidance given to us that we have been able to complete even one page.

Our foremost gratitude is extended to Sister Mary Doloria, our advisor. Her patience and understanding have brightened the way for us, and she will long be held in memory for her source of inspiration. We thank Sister Mary Presentia, our principal, for her strong and constant support in our project. Special thanks to Mr. Mitchell Cyran, our academy photographer, who has captured every memorable moment on film. Sister Mary Maurice, seen so often sporting a camera, has snapped her way through many an academy event, and her co-operation has substantially supplemented our store of pictures. To these and to everyone whose encouragement and support have lightened our burdens, I extend my personal and most sincere thanks.

The 1968 *Angelican* is, now, a step into the past. Through photographs, we have tried to relive Adoption, Ring Day, Rome, Class Night, and innumerable facets of academy life. When years have passed, it is hoped that a face or a scene in this book will bring back, with a tear or a smile, the memories of our days at OLA. You, too, dear underclassmen, will leave your legacy behind. The 1968 *Angelican* is a part of each one of us, of our teachers, and of our friends. Remember us always, for we will never forget you.

Lorraine Sapko  
Editor



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Lorraine, Pat, Patty, Mary Ann and Joanne.: the quieter moments.



A determined Kathy thinks "I'll get your \$3 yet!"



A-N-G-E-L-I-C-A-N!



Pat Roche and Sr. Doloria study layouts of another yearbook.





Lynn, Pat, Mary, and Andrea—engrossed in an old volume.



Studying, searching, erasing, laughing; yield: one yearbook.



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# FACULTY





MOTHER MARY VITERBIA  
President of the Academy

*Woman of God,  
Dedicated to today's youth  
... In defense of truth  
through her convictions and actions.  
Enriched by knowledge  
and understanding  
In the field of education ...  
For the spiritual  
and intellectual  
growth  
of young women.*

SISTER MARY  
PRESENTIA

*A position  
of authority  
Enhanced  
by experience,  
wisdom,  
dedication . . .  
Leading us today  
to be the leaders  
tomorrow.  
Planning,  
counseling,  
striving  
For each girl's  
future.  
An essential  
. . . spirited  
. . . beloved part  
Of Academy life.*







SISTER MARY DOLORIA

*The drama of life  
begins not in the raising  
of a curtain,  
But in the rehearsal.  
Directing, guiding, softly molding  
with the eye of a mother,  
preparing others  
for their roles.  
With her love of literary classics,  
Inspiring her students  
to accept people ,  
    trials ,  
    joys,  
By her own living example.*





## SISTER MARY AMABILIS

*Face to face with Caesar,  
planning his battles . . .  
Sailing with Aeneas  
over the seas of life,  
In storm or in sun  
a true captain.  
Sharing youth's vitality,  
problems, and smiles . . .  
Roman dreams realized,  
bringing happiness like a crown of  
laurels.*

## SISTER MARY FELICIA

*Smiling . . .  
Her eyes speak  
with understanding and love.  
Genuinely interested in  
Humankind . . .  
Glowing with the cause of  
Ecumenism.  
Exuberant yet tender . . .  
. . . Never to be forgotten.*





## SISTER MARY CONSOLATA

*With a charm and grace  
uniquely her own,  
Giving and asking  
nothing  
in return.  
Devoted to the record of  
our past  
And the outline of  
our future.  
A smile that means  
concern . . .  
friendship . . .  
and love.*



## SISTER MARY PONTIA

*Strengthened  
by Time's experience  
. . . Brilliantly pursuing  
the boundless horizons of books.  
Established in the volumes  
of fact and fiction . . .  
Encouraging students  
to search . . .  
to gain . . .  
to become fulfilled  
in the realms of knowledge.  
. . . She gives of herself  
and is appreciated.*





Even scientists like to eat!



Sr. Doloria demonstrates use of voting machine.



Mrs. Krochalis accepts flowers from A.P. class following poetry assembly.





## SISTER MARY EVELYN

*The melody  
in her heart  
Finds expression in a sweet  
"Bonjour"  
... Joy that spreads  
quick as a smile,  
Beckoning to play the game  
of learning—  
Chanter, rirer, aimer ...  
The notes of her song  
echo,  
Bringing back fond memories  
of youth.*

## SISTER MARY ANTONIA

*A dash  
of excitement,  
A taste  
of trust.  
Bubbling with life  
... Just a hint  
of Spanish flavor.  
Seasoned with  
a willing ear,  
Makes generous portions of  
a friend.*





## SISTER MARY ANTOINETTE

*An urgent manner,  
eyes that sparkle  
with life . . .  
Preparing Angelites  
for the business world.  
Typing,  
teaching . . .  
Becoming involved  
in today's  
youth,  
Industrious . . .  
helpful.*

## SISTER JANE MARY

*Lines,  
planes,  
space,  
Brought into view . . .  
Mathematical concepts  
and logic  
Made part of every student.  
Patience,  
care,  
love  
Reflected in each lesson  
. . . Genuine concern,  
A true friend.*







#### SISTER MARY BERNADETTE

*Dedicating herself,  
delving spiritedly  
into the scientific world  
... Straightforward ...  
Flashing eyes  
send forth her convictions  
into society.  
Small in stature ...  
... Standing tall  
on the human scale.*

#### SISTER MARY MAURICE

*An honest approach,  
A friendly manner ...  
With unequaled exuberance,  
Sharing the realities  
of mathematics and science.  
Bringing life  
and interest  
To each student.  
Laughter, slide rules, quizzes,  
her tools;  
Her products: individuals.*





Sr. M. Pontia checks a reference book to aid a student.



"That's all there is to it!"

Faculty members gather for agape celebration.





## SISTER MARY ROSARIA

*Bubbling with energy,  
yet demanding respect . . .  
Training young minds  
in the art of literature;  
Always willing  
to listen,  
to share . . .  
Awakening youth to the challenge  
of tomorrow  
. . . Exploring the past with hope  
for the future.*



## MRS. JEANNE KROCHALIS

*Animated discussions . . .  
Brilliant insight . . .  
Unique observations . . .  
Each class an open book  
. . . a communication.  
A deep and grasping  
appreciation  
of man's endeavors  
in literature  
Imbided into her students.*



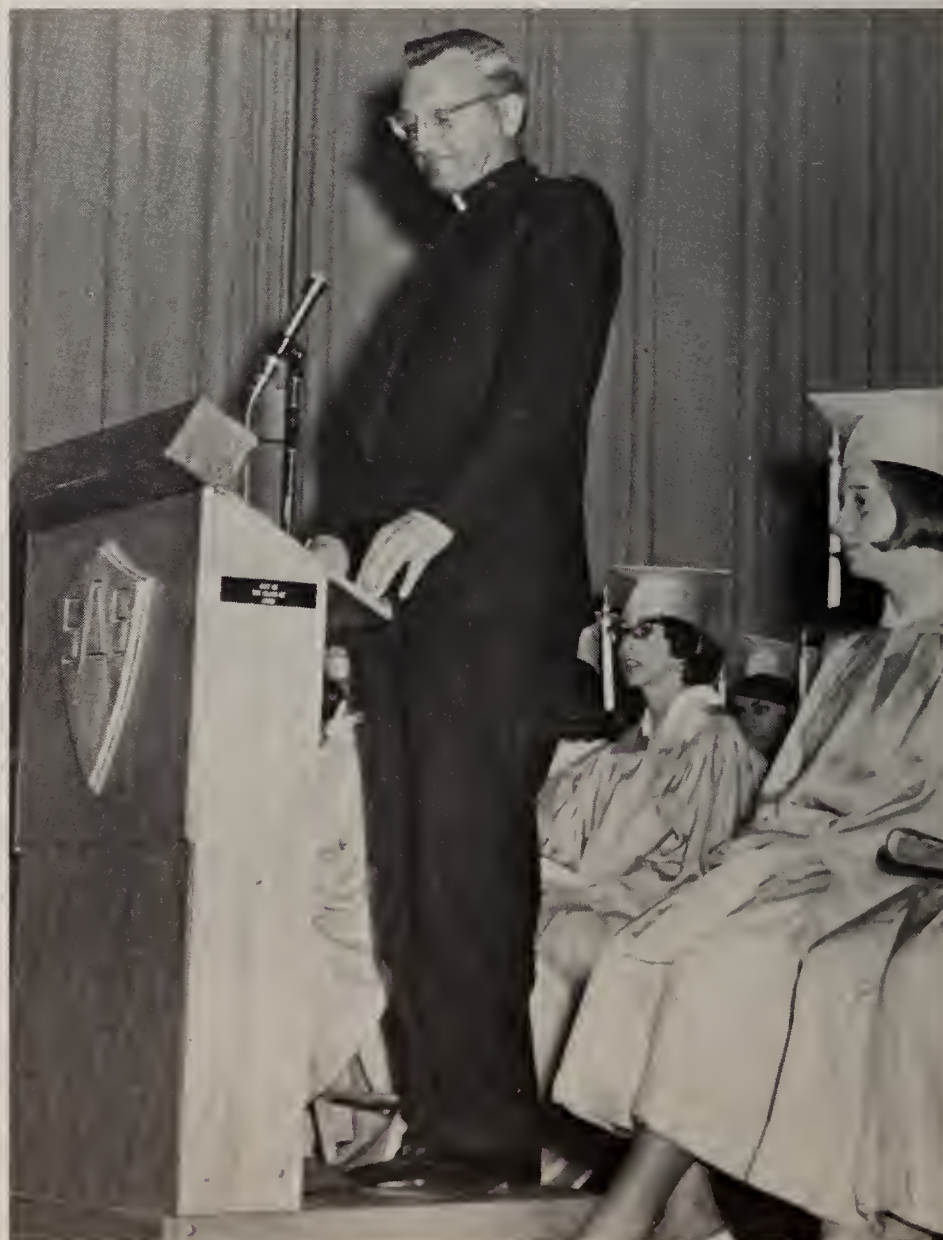


## SISTER MARY HILARY

*Alive with the joy of creating,  
Bringing forth the hidden talents  
of her eager students.  
Gifted artist . . .  
Guiding teacher.  
A ready, winning smile  
of encouragement  
To inspire our Rembrandts  
of tomorrow.*

## FATHER THEODORE RACZYNSKI

*Defining the true meaning  
of Christian love,  
Teaching girls  
what it is to be  
women.  
With the commitment  
of a teacher,  
The concern  
of a friend.  
A perpetual grin  
reflecting  
his love for mankind.*





MRS. AUDREY LEIGHTON

*The agility  
of a sportswoman,  
The warmth  
of a friend . . .  
Encouraging,  
guiding,  
Behind every victory  
. . . Building competitive  
spirit . . .  
A home run, a basket,  
Games lost  
and won  
. . . "Top scorer"  
to her girls.*



MRS. ROBERT BREEDING

*A gentle smile,  
a soothing voice  
. . . Concerned  
with our health,  
our well-being . . .  
Weighing  
and measuring,  
Advising  
and administering  
. . . Sought with confidence,  
Our own  
Florence Nightingale.*





Sr. M. Consolata in a moment of leisure.



Sr. M. Hilary and student are anxious to leave for Rome.



Guild hostess Sr. M. Antoinette enjoys her work.



Danielle Perigard gives the kiss of peace to Sr. Jane Mary.







Pensive, considerate, dedicated . . . our principal.



Sr. M. Amabilis and Father 'Ted' debate the merits of rock and roll at a school party.











SENIORS





ELAINE NATALIE BARNAS

*"I have a heart with room for every joy."*

Future Scientists Club 1; Basketball 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; Ski Club 1; treasurer 2, vice-president 3; Spanish Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Viewpoint 4.

MARY ELLEN BERTINUSON

*"If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer."*

Latin Club vice-president 1; Great Books Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Choraleers president 4; Viewpoint 4; *Angelite* 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Student Council secretary 3; Auxilium Latinum medal 1; NEDT Award 2; National Honor Society 3, secretary 4; French medal 3; *Angelican* 4.





KATHLEEN ANN BLODGETT

*"Nothing is at last sacred but the integrity of your own mind."*

Latin Club 1; Dramatics Club 2; French Club 3; Future Nurses Club 4; Youth Venture Forum 4; Viewpoint 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2.

LINDA ANN CATANIA

*"The most useless day of all is that in which we have not laughed."*

Latin Club 1,2; Dramatics Club 1; Ski Club 2; Youth Venture Forum 3; Business Club 3, vice-president 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; Class play 1,2,3,4.

VALERIE ANN BUTLER

*"The best portion of a good man's life is his little nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love."*

Third Order 1,2,3; Choraleers 1; Spanish Club 2; Latin Club 2; Future Teachers Club 3; Future Nurses Club 4; Youth Venture Forum 4; Viewpoint 4; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Basketball 4.





### KATHLEEN ANNE CASEY

*"I would that my life remain but a tear and a smile; a tear to unite me with a broken heart, and a smile to sing of my joy in existence."*

Choraleers 1; Basketball 1; Third Order 2; Latin Club 2; Debate Club 2,3; Great Books Club 3; Student Council 3; Future Teachers Club 4; *Angelite* 2, editor 3,4; Religion Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2,3; NEDT Award 2; Class secretary 2; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; *Angelican* 4.



### GAIL SHEILA CHMELOWSKI

*"Every human being is intended to have character of his own; to be what no other is, and to do what no other can do."*

Basketball 1; Latin Club 1; Ski Club 1,2; Spanish Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Youth Venture Forum 3,4; Viewpoint 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Auxilium Latinum Award 1.





DENISE MARIE CRATTY

*"My life is made up of patterns that can scarcely be controlled."*

Third Order 1,2,3,4; Mission Club 1; Great Books Club 2; Cheerleaders 2,3,4; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Choraleers 4; Viewpoint 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Auxilium Latinum 1,2; NEDT Award 2.

CATHERINE ELIZABETH CROSSLEY

*"Reason, faith, and conscience all her own."*

Latin Club 1,2; Library Circle 3, president 2; Mission Club 3; Business Club 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Shorthand certificate 3.





VALERIA LENA CZERNIAWSKI

*"Happy is he that hath no sadness of his mind and who is not fallen from his hope."*

Mission Club 1; Choraleers 1; Third Order 1,2,3,4; French Club 2,3; Dramatics Club 2; Basketball 3,4; Youth Venture Forum 3,4; Future Nurses Club 4; Viewpoint 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 3; Religion Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Science Fair 4th prize 2; Northern Conn. Science Fair 3rd place 2.



DONNA FRANCINE D'AMICO

*"The path's well worn that leads to the roses' thorn."*

Latin Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Student Council 3; Youth Venture Forum 3; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Viewpoint 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; NEDT Award 2; Class play 1,2,3,4; Debate Club 2.





ELAINE CAROLYN DAVIS

*"What you are is God's gift to you. What you make of yourself is your gift to God."*

Latin Club 1; Spanish Club 2,3; Dramatics Club 2; Cheerleaders 1,4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Future Teachers Club 2,4; Art Award 1st place 2; Science Fair semifinalist 2.



LUCILLE DEVIN

*"When a man begins to doubt himself, he does something so stupid that he is reassured."*

Latin Club 1; French Club 2; Library Circle 2,3; Mission Club 3; Business Club 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; Shorthand Award 3.





PATRICIA MARIA DUDENHOEFER

*"Who walks a road with love Will never walk that road alone."*

Dramatics Club 1; Latin Club 1,2; *Angelite* 2,3,4; French Club secretary 3; Cheerleaders 3,4; Great Books Club 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2; English Award 3; Class secretary 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Debate Club 2,3.



SANDRA JEAN DeORSEY

*"I shall follow the path to wherever my destiny and my mission for Truth shall take me."*

Latin Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Class treasurer 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Viewpoint 4; Debate Club 2; *Angelite* 2,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Religion Award 1; NEDT Award 2; English medal 3; National Honor Society 3,4; *Angelic* 4.

MARY ELIZABETH ESPINOLA

*"It is better to have a heart full of love than a mind full of knowledge."*

East Catholic High School: Ushers' Club 1; Spanish Club 1; OLA: Third Order 2,3,4; Spanish Club 2; Latin Club 2; Science Club 3, secretary 4; Choraleers 4; Youth Venture Forum 4; Viewpoint 4; School play 2,3; Class play 2,3,4.





BARBARA J. FALKOWSKI

*"What can say more than this rich praise—that you alone are you."*

Dramatics Club 1; Latin Club 1,2; Library Circle president 3; Future Scientists Club treasurer 4; *Angelite* 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Religion Award 1; NEDT Award 2; Class play 1,2,3,4.

MARY A. GEBHART

*"The final proof of greatness lies in being able to endure contumely without resentment."*

Dramatics Club 1,2; Choraleers 1; Future Teachers Club treasurer 3; Great Books Club 4; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; NEDT Award 2; Debate Club 2,3; *Angelican* 4.

LYNN M. FIOCCHETTA

*"Let us not look back in anger, nor forward in fear, but around in awareness."*

Choraleers 1; Dramatics Club 1; Latin Club 2; French Club 2; Great Books Club 3; Future Nurses Club 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; *Angelite* 4; *Angelican* 4.





CHERYL M. GAGNON

*"Difficulties are things that show what men are."*

Dramatics Club 1; Latin Club 1,2; Great Books Club 2,4; Library Circle vice-president 3; Basketball 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2.



MARY ANN GIANANTONI

*"The way to be happy is to make others so."*

Latin Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Debate Club 2,3; Angelite 2,3,4; Ski Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 2, vice-president 3; Great Books Club 4; Choraleers 4; National Honor Society 3, vice-president 4; School play 2; Class play 1,2,3,4; NEDT Award 2; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Religion Award 1; English Award 3; Angelican 4; Cheerleaders 3,4; Viewpoint 4.





ANNE ELIZABETH GREAVES

*"There's a way out of every dark mist over a rainbow trail."*

Science Club 1,4, president 3; Basketball 1; *Angelite* 2,3; Third Order 2,3, prefect 4; Debate Club 2, vice-president 3; School play 2; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Class Treasurer 1; Class president 2; Northern Conn. Science Fair 1st Award 2; Science Fair 2nd prize 2; National Honor Society 3, president 4; *Angelican* 4; English medal 3; Viewpoint 4.

SUZANNE K. GRIFFITH

*"Youth is the gay and pleasant spring of life."*

Science Club 1; Basketball 1,4; Spanish Club 2; Great Books Club 2,3,4; Ski Club 2,3; Religion Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; United Nations Test Award 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Youth Venture Forum 4.





GLADYS GUNTHER

*"Cheerfulness is an offspring of goodness."*

Latin Club 1,2; Dramatics Club 1; Art Club 2; Youth Venture Forum 3; Business Club 3,4; Class play 1,2,3, 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2.



KIMBERLEY A. HALL

*"Two roads diverged in a wood, and I, I took the one less traveled by."*

Dramatics Club 2; Great Books Club president 3,4; *Angelite* 4; Class play 2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 2; NEDT Award 2; French medal 2,3; English medal 3; Math medal 3; 1st place regional Handicap Essay Contest 3; National Honor Society 3,4; 3rd place State Handicap Essay Contest 3; *Angelican* 4.





CYNTHIA ELIZABETH HOFFMAN

*"She's rich, for the greatest poverty is not to live one's life."*

Basketball 1; Latin Club 1,2; Spanish Club treasurer 2; Youth Venture Forum 3; Business Club 3, secretary 4; Class vice-president 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2,3; Gregg Shorthand Award 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2.



DIANE M. KOPEC

*"The greatness of a woman can nearly always be measured by her willingness to be kind."*

Latin Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Youth Venture Forum 3; Business Club 3, president 4; Class secretary 1; Auxilium Latinum 1; Typing Award 3.





### ANDREA BROWN KROCHALIS

*"There is a loftier ambition than merely to stand high in the world. It is to stoop down and lift mankind a little higher."*

Latin Club 1; Ski Club 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Angelite 2,3,4; Great Books Club 3,4; Debate Club 2,3; National Honor Society 3; Viewpoint 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; Class president 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2,3; Religion Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2; English Award 2,3; Diocesan Labor Essay Contest 1st place 1; Angelican 4; Salutatorian.



### DONNA-MARIE HUNTER

*"Help thy brother's boat across, and lo! Thine own has reached the shore."*

Mission Club 1; Third Order 1,2,3,4; Choraleers 2,4; Spanish Club 2; Dramatics Club 2; Science Club 3,4; Cheerleaders 3,4; Youth Venture Forum 4; Viewpoint 4; School play 1,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 2.



### LINDA ANN LEE

*"The gem cannot be polished without friction, nor man perfected without trials."*

Dramatics Club 1; Latin Club 2; Third Order 2,3,4; Future Teachers Club 3; Future Scientists of America vice-president 4; Youth Venture Forum 3,4; Choraleers 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3.



# KATHLEEN PATRICIA LENNON

*"Little friends may prove great friends."*

Dramatics Club 2; Business Club 3, treasurer 4; Class play 2,3,4; School play 2; Gregg Shorthand Award 3.

# PATRICIA ANN McMANUS

*"Art is man's nature, nature is God's art."*

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Art Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3; Business Club 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Scholastic Art Gold Key Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1.

# JUDITH MARIE LEONAITIS

*"Strange how much you've got to know before you know how little you know."*

Dramatics Club 1; Ski Club 1; Cheerleaders co-captain 1,2,3,4; Latin Club 2; Future Nurses Club 4, treasurer 3; Choraleers 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Scholastic Art Gold Key Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 2; NEDT Award 2; Science Fair Award 2; Class treasurer 4; *Angelican* 4.





SUSAN ANN LIGHT

*"Nothing that is given in a spirit of generosity is ever lost."*

Dramatics Club 1; Latin Club 1,2; Ski Club 1,2; Third Order 2; Future Nurses Club secretary 3, vice-president 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; *Angelican* 4.



MARILYN BARBARA MORIARTY

*"Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves."*

Third Order 1,2,3,4; Latin Club 1,2; Youth Venture Forum 3; Future Teachers Club 3; Great Books Club 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; *Angelican* 4.





MARY LOUISE OLIVA

*"Come what may. Time and the hour runs through roughest day."*

Latin Club 1,2; Music Club 1; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 3; Spanish Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3, president 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2; Time Current Events Award 3.

JOAN E. O'NEILL

*"You have to believe in happiness or happiness never comes."*

Latin Club 1,2; Mission Club 1,2, treasurer 3, vice-president 4; Youth Venture Forum 3; Future Teachers Club 3; Student Council 3; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; School play 2; Class play 1,2,3,4; Class vice-president 2; Class president 3,4. *Angelican* 4.





MARY ANN PALIWODA

*"There is no living in love without some sorrow  
but the greatest sorrow is not to love."*

Latin Club 1,2; Choraleers 1,4; Spanish Club 2; Future  
Nurses Club 3,4; Viewpoint 4; Third Order 1,2,3,4;  
Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Auxilium Latinum  
Award 1,2; Youth Venture Forum 4.



JOAN CATHERINE PANCIERA

*"The only reward of virtue is virtue; the only  
way to have a friend is to be one."*

Latin Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Spanish Club 2,3; De-  
bate Club 2; Future Nurses Club 4; Ski Club 1,2,3;  
Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; NEDT Award 2;  
Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Viewpoint 4.





PAMELA JOYCE PANCIERA

*"Is all that we see or seem  
But a dream within a dream?"*

Latin Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Debate Club 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Future Nurses Club 3,4; School play 2; National Honor Society 3,4; Religion Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2; English medal 3; Viewpoint 4.



REGINA ANN PETRAUSKAS

*"Those who know how to enjoy life are not poor."*

Latin Club 1,2; French Club vice-president 3; Mission Club 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2.





### KATHRYN ELAINE POREDA

*"A woman's ultimate triumph is to love more than she is loved."*

Future Scientists Club 1; Latin Club 1, secretary 2; Spanish Club 2; Future Teachers Club 3, vice-president 4; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2.



### DANIELLE YVETTE PERIGARD

*"The heart to conceive, the understanding to direct, and the hand to execute."*

Science Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Ski Club 1,2,3; Latin Club 2; French Club 2; Great Books Club secretary 3; Mission Club treasurer 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; *Angelite* 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; NEDT Award 2.



### MARYANNE PRELI

*"The brave man carves out his fortune, and every man is the son of his own works."*

Choraleers 1; Latin Club 1,2; French Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3, secretary 4; Student Council 3; *Angelite* 3,4; School play 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; NEDT Award 2; Auxilium Latinum Award 2.



PATRICIA ANNE RABER

*"A journey of a thousand miles begins with one step."*

Latin Club 1; Basketball 1,2; Great Books Club 2; Science Club 4, vice-president 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; *Angelican* 4; Viewpoint 4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; Math medal 1; NEDT Award 2; French medal 3; NMSQT Letter of Commendation 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Northern Conn. Science Fair 3rd Award 2; Science Fair 1st prize 2; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4, Valedictorian.



LINDA CHERYL ROY

*"The grand essentials of life are something to do, something to love, and something to hope for."*

Dramatics Club 1,2; Latin Club 1; Business Club 3,4; Youth Venture Forum 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2; Auxilium Latinum Award 2; Typing Award 3; Gregg Shorthand Speed certificate 3.





### LORRAINE CAMILLE SAPKO

*"The woods are lovely, dark, and deep. But I have promises to keep, and miles to go before I sleep."*

Latin Club 1,2; Dramatics Club 1; *Angelite* 2,3,4; Debate Club 2, secretary 3; Great Books Club 3; Future Teachers Club 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Auxilium Latinum Award 2, medal 1,3; Religion Award 1; NEDT Award 2; Science Fair Award 2; Northern Conn. Science Fair 2nd Award 2; University of Hartford forensics finalist 2; English medal 3; NMSQT Letter of Commendation 4; *Angelican* editor 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4.



### PATRICIA JOYCE ROCHE

*"Be not ashamed of life. Believe that life is worth living, and belief will help create the fact."*

Dramatics Club 1; Debate Club 2,3; Great Books Club 3; Future Teachers Club president 4; *Angelite* 2, editor 3,4; Class vice-president 3; Student Council 3; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Religion Award 1; Time Current Events Award 3; NEDT Award 2; *Angelican* 4.



### JOANNE SPONZO

*"There is a destiny that makes us brothers. No man goes his way alone."*

Mission Club 1,2,3, president 4; Latin Club 1; Youth Venture Forum 3; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 1,2,3; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; *Angelican* 4.



# DONNA MARY STARR

*"Sincerity, truth, faithfulness come into the very essence of friendship."*

Basketball 1,2; Spanish Club 2,3; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Youth Venture Forum 4; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 2; Science Fair Award 2; Hire the Handicapped Poster Contest 1st prize 4.



# LINDA ELLEN TOWER

*"A cup of sun . . . a daisy . . . a thimbleful of snow . . . a leaf turned red from frost's first touch . . . this is all of God I know."*

Latin Club 1,2; French Club 2; Third Order 2,3,4; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Youth Venture Forum 3,4; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Northern Conn. Science Fair first award 2; Viewpoint 4; Science Fair Award 2.





### FRANCINE JUNE VECCHIOLLA

*"Ah, but a man's reach should exceed his grasp,  
or what's a heaven for?"*

Cheerleaders 1,2, captain 3,4; Latin Club 1,2; Great Books Club 3,4; *Angelite* 3,4; Student Council vice-president 3; Debate Club 2, president 3; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; Religion Award 1,2,3; NEDT Award 2; National Honor Society 3, secretary 4; Ski Club 1,2; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2.



### PATRICIA ANN TOCE

*"To thine own self be true."*

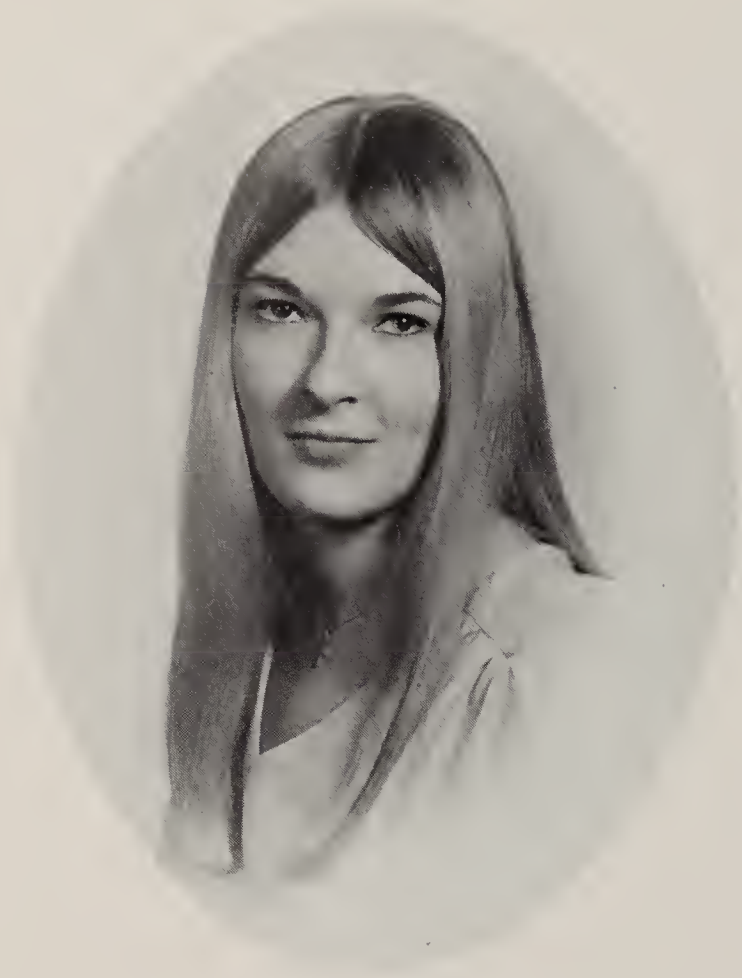
Latin Club 1,2; Debate Club 2, treasurer 3; Great Books Club 3; *Angelite* 4; Future Teachers Club 4; Time Current Events Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 2; NEDT Award 2; U.N. Test Award 3; School play 2,3; Class play 1,2,3,4; *Angelic* 4; Northern Conn. Science Fair 2nd Award 2; Science Fair 2nd prize 2; Religion Award 1; Class vice-president 4; Basketball 2,3,4; Third Order 2.



### KATHLEEN ANNE WALSH

*"My life is like a stroll upon the beach, As near  
the ocean's edge as I can go."*

Latin Club 1; Debate Club 2,3; Great Books Club 3; Mission Club secretary 4; *Angelite* 2,3,4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Auxilium Latinum Award 2, medal 1; Religion Award 1; NEDT Award 2; *Angelic* 4.



JUNE A. WEST

*"As the sun colors flowers, so does art color life."*

Latin Club president 1; Art Club 2; Great Books Club 3; *Angelite* 2,3,4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Scholastic Art Award 1; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2; *Angelican* 4.



NANCY IRENE YUSCAVITCH

*"You must look into people as well as at them."*

Latin Club 1, president 2; Great Books Club 2; Future Nurses Club 3,4; Basketball 4; Viewpoint 4; Choraleers 4; Class play 1,2,3,4; School play 2,3; Auxilium Latinum Award 1,2.





MARYANN CLARE ZDANCEWICZ

*"Love in your heart wasn't put there to stay.  
Love isn't love 'til you give it away."*

Latin Club 1,2; Choraleers 1,4; Third Order 1,2,3;  
Spanish Club 2; Future Nurses 3,4; School play 2,3;  
Class play 1,2,3,4; Auxilium Latinum Award 1; Science  
Fair 5th Prize 2; No. Connecticut Science Fair 1st  
Award & Certificate of Merit 2; Hire the Handicapped  
Art Award 5th Prize 4.



BEVERLY ANN WYMAN

*"It takes life to love life."*

Windsor Locks Jr. High: Dramatics Club 1; Basketball  
1; O.L.A.: Basketball 2, Co-captain 3, captain 4; French  
Club 3; Great Books Club 3; Mission Club 4; *Angelite*  
4; Class play 2,3,4; School play 2; Basketball Award  
2,3.



LUCIA RUIZ CABANAS

*"The language of friendship is not words, but  
action."*

Her visit was short but sweet, and filled to capacity.  
Mexico's gift to the Academy, Lucy shared in the  
studies and celebrations at O.L.A. as an honorary mem-  
ber of the senior class. A friend to all, her sunny dis-  
position and Spanish smile reflected the temperament  
of our neighbors to the South and endeared her to us.  
The experiences we shared with Lucy were pleasant  
ones and they have left us wonderful memories of our  
"buena amiga".





"I got mine at Saks 5th Avenue."



"Humph! At a finishing school!"



"Aw, c'mon Sister. Call off your dog!"





# MADE OF THIS



The hostess with the most-est.



Homeroom sets the tone for the day.



"Where's the exit?"





## MEMOIRS OF A GRADUATE

The class of 1968 inscribes its personal memories onto these pages with high hopes that, with time, they will retain their uniqueness and vitality.

September, 1964—June, 1965

We slid down from triumphant eighth graders to silly “freshies” overnight. But initiation made the ride fun! It was not long before we truly felt a part of the big family at OLA. Adoption by our wonderful junior “big sisters” made it official.

There were loads of homework and lots of fun! Our parents shared in the warmth of the Mother-Daughter Tea and the Father-Daughter Supper. We were as impressed as they with these Academy events.

Retreat was new and renewing. How proud we were of our big sisters on their Ring Day! And how proud we were of our play and song, dedicated lovingly to them.

Surprisingly, everyone lived through final exams. Class Night left us speechless. But our minds were ruthlessly calculating “in just three years. . . .”

September, 1965—June, 1966

Back within confining walls; one year older, one year wiser. The upperclassmen still tended to overlook the sober sophs, however, until our Christmas play, “The Tree”. The class of '68 was now more closely knit; we had fun, worked hard, and did well. Then on Arbor Day, all the Sophs turned out in their “granny gowns” to plant their Flowering Florabunda.

We followed our big sisters as they crowned Mary in May and marched down that final aisle in June. We were on our own for the next two years . . .

September, 1966—June, 1967

Upperclassmen! It was a big leap-with big responsibilities. How motherly we felt as we adopted our own little sisters.

Proms, SAT's, retreats with the seniors . . . a larger world was opening up to us. But the reality came with a small ring placed on shaking fingers. Rain darkened the outside on Ring Day; but inside the sun was bright and daisies were fresh. Monday brought more joy mingled with tears as our little sisters expressed their affection through their marvelous skits and the magnificent “Lara's Theme”.

Our grinder sale and field day provided a lot of enjoyment. The year had



been filled to capacity. The seniors expressed this realization beautifully in a living rosary. Yet we were restless; for as a chain of daisies was placed on our shoulders a new awareness engulfed us—we were seniors . . .

September, 1967—June, 1968

Bigger! Better! Different! That was the theme of our final year. Viewpoint was the first project worthy of these adjectives—and many more. We hoped the freshmen were not frightened by our enthusiasm on “Get Acquainted Day”. Our wonderfully mischievous little sisters came through once more to boast Christmas spirits at OLA. Transformed Cinderellas dined and danced in the elegance of Hotel America, amid “The Season of Light” and the magnificent grandeur of Constitution Plaza.

No words can convey adequately our appreciation for the coffee room. It has been a solace . . . a refuge . . . a salvation . . . a psychological blessing in times of stress . . .

As we neared the apex of our high school mountain—made of both dreams and realities—tensions and anxieties mounted. The future would soon be the present. College news filled the bulletins. Enfield’s “Youth in Government Day” provided the target for great enthusiasm. Campaign speeches . . . posters . . . rallies . . . parades . . . a voting machine . . . a lively week at OLA.

Our own retreat with Father Matt could only be called unforgettable. It was an experience of enlightenment; of growing . . . of bonding . . . in short, it was an experience of love.

Viva Roma! The focal point of the year arrived. Pan Am . . . Domus Pacis . . . Naples . . . “That’s Amore” . . . Trevi . . . bus rides . . . 620 lire . . . Alessandro . . . Gerardo . . . Pucci . . . all this and much more. Our audience with our Holy Father, Pope Paul VI, left an impression no words can express. The Roman sky shed tears with us on our last day in the Eternal City, as we sadly reminisced and bade a fond “Arrividerci Roma”.

The beauty of May! Our Mother Mary provided this glorious time of the year—this glorious time of our lives. We presented daisies, rosaries, roses, and our thanks.

We whizzed through Canada: Montreal . . . Quebec . . . ; our Farewell Prom; we sang with open hearts to our teachers on Faculty Day.

Momentum was building. The explosion finally came; tears, speeches, awards, Pomp and Circumstance, diplomas. Activity played havoc on the outside. But there was a stillness inside each one of us. We were caught in the middle; four years of memories behind—an Impossible Dream ahead.



## TOP TEN

Patricia Raber  
Andrea Krochalis  
Ann Greaves  
Mary Ellen Bertinuson  
Sandra DeOrsey

Mary Ann Gianantoni  
Kimberley Hall  
Francine Vecchiolla  
Pamela Panciera  
Lorraine Sapko

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

University of Rhode Island Scholarship—Patricia Dudenhoefer  
Duquesne University Scholarship—Ann Greaves  
Syracuse University Scholarship—Kimberley Hall  
Carnegie-Mellon University Scholarship—Patricia Raber  
University of Hartford scholarship Grant—Lorraine Sapko  
General Scholarship granted by the Lion's Club of Enfield—Kathleen Blodgett  
Scholarship Award granted by Big Bunny Markets, Inc.,—Donna D'Amico  
Enfield Youth in Action Scholarship—Elaine Davis  
Scholarship granted by the Polish Junior League of Connecticut, Thompsonville-Suffield Chapter—Mary Louise Oliva  
Hallmark Education Foundation Scholarship—Kathryn Poreda  
Knights of Columbus, Windsor Locks, Connecticut, Scholarship Award—Maryanne Preli  
State of Connecticut Scholarship—Patricia Raber  
Knights of Columbus, Windsor, Connecticut, general Scholarship—Patricia Roche  
Connecticut Women's Relief Corps Scholarship—Linda Roy  
Beatrice Fox Auerbach Scholarship—Lorraine Sapko  
General Scholarship granted by the Letter-Carriers of Thompsonville, Conn., Branch No. 1556—Kathleen Walsh  
Our Lady of the Angels Guild General Scholarship Awards—Mary Ellen Bertinuson, Sandra DeOrsey, Mary Ann Gianantoni, Andrea Krochalis  
General Scholarship Award granted by the Mount Carmel Society of Thompsonville—Francine Vecchiolla  
Johnson Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Guild Nursing Award Scholarships—Denise Cratty, Pamela Panciera  
St. Francis Hospital Nursing Scholarship—Maryanne Preli  
Our Lady of the Angels Guild Nursing Awards—Lynn Fiocchetta, Mary Louise Oliva  
Science Award granted by Rainbow, Inc., of Hazardville, Connecticut—Ann Greaves  
Math Award Scholarship granted by Rainbow, Inc., of Hazardville, Connecticut—Valeria Czerniawski

### BUSINESS AWARDS

Typewriting Speed Awards granted by the South-Western Publishing Company—Donna Hunter, June West  
Gregg Shorthand Speed Certificates for 100 words per minute—Valeria Czerniawski, Lucille Devin, Kathleen Lennon  
Gregg Shorthand Medal for 120 words per minute—Cynthia Hoffman  
Gregg Shorthand Speed and Typewriting Medals for 120 words per minute—Catherine Crossley, Linda Roy  
Bookkeeping Certificate granted by South-Western Publishing Company—Diane Kopec  
Catholic Business Association Certificate for excellence in scholarship, initiative, and service to the school in the business department—Diane Kopec

### ART AWARDS

Hartford Courant Parade of Youth Art Award—Marie Espinola  
Connecticut State Federation of Women's Clubs Art Award—Patricia McManus  
Hire the Handicapped Poster Contest First Prize—Donna Starr  
Hire the Handicapped Poster Contest Fifth Prize—Maryann Zdancewicz

### WHO'S WHO AMONG AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Patricia Raber, Lorraine Sapko



## GOLD MEDALS

*English*      Andrea Krochalis  
*Journalism* Lorraine Sapko

## SILVER MEDALS

### *ART*

Elaine Davis  
Donna Starr

### *MATHEMATICS*

Valeria Czerniawski  
Ann Greaves

### *SHORTHAND*

Lucille Devin  
Cynthia Hoffman  
Linda Roy

### *SPANISH*

Mary Ann Gianantoni  
Pamela Panciera  
Kathryn Poreda

### *TYPEWRITING*

Joan Panciera  
Pamela Panciera  
Donna Starr

### *BIOLOGY*

Mary Ellen Bertinuson  
Sandra DeOrsey  
Patricia Dudenhoefer  
Andrea Krochalis  
Mary Louise Oliva  
Joan O'Neill  
Pamela Panciera  
Patricia Raber  
Lorraine Sapko

### *FRENCH*

Kathleen Blodgett  
Sandra DeOrsey  
Patricia Dudenhoefer  
Kimberley Hall  
Patricia Raber  
Francine Vecchiolla

### *LATIN*

Danielle Perigard  
Andrea Krochalis

### *ENGLISH*

Kathleen Blodgett  
Mary Ellen Bertinuson  
Donna D'Amico  
Sandra DeOrsey  
Patricia Dudenhoefer  
Mary Ann Gianantoni  
Ann Greaves  
Kimberley Hall  
Judith Leonaitis  
Mary Louise Oliva

Joan O'Neill  
Joan Panciera  
Pamela Panciera  
Kathryn Poreda  
Patricia Raber  
Patricia Roche  
Lorraine Sapko  
Donna Starr  
Patricia Toce  
Francine Vecchiolla









# UNDERCLASSMEN



# THE CLASS OF 1969



N. Bardini, President; J. Wosko, Treasurer; C. Smith, Vice-President; M. DiMaio, Secretary.



Seated: C. Smith, C. Zappulla, W. Labreche, P. Young, F. Cratty, J. Dykon, M. Tyman. Standing: L. Jordan, E. Wolnick, C. Wickyowski, C. Gegesky, M. Wagner, E. Smaha.





Seated: S. Helhoski, M. DiMaio, M. Tenerowicz, S. Garbrous, P. Bottaro, N. Bardini, V. Kuzara. Standing: R. Smith, M. Bolte, P. Paduch, P. DaSilva, K. Gianantoni, C. Burns, D. Crompton, D. Rudolf.



Seated: B. Yost, J. Negro, D. Courtemanche, C. D'Alessandro, D. Buiniskas, D. Chaput. Standing: C. Czyz, J. Wosko, J. Simmons, I. Sakalauski, P. Pelletier, F. Paulhus.





"I give-a you my special-a price."



To major in engineering requires the utmost concentration.



\_\_\_ is the one \_\_\_ to have when you're having more than one.

Junior Year is . . .  
 upperclassmen at last  
 grinders  
 apple green and pink  
 UN test  
 planning for the prom  
 class rings  
 car washes  
 American History  
 front row auditorium seats  
 lilies of the valley  
 Senior Scholastic  
 pale blue ties  
 a debut into the Academy parking lot  
 NMSQT  
 Father Joe  
 aisle seats at Class Night  
 receiving the Daisy Chain







"Me? A perfect attendance award?!"



Instant energy.



Jolly juniors jest joyfully.



Wendy, Pat, and Kathy serenade their audience.



The many expressions of junior faces.





"Hey Felice! Take 'em now while nobody's looking!"



"I know what you've got in your hand and I'm not going to look up!"



Mingling on the way to lunch.



Sr. Bernadette supervises our future chemists.



Eating in peace.





"Wake up, my people!"



Have slingshot—will trouble.



May the class of '69 reign forever!





# THE CLASS OF 1970



M. Reveruzzi, Secretary; M. Marinaccio, Vice-President; J. Gagnon, Treasurer; M. Gilhooly, President.



Top Row: M. Gilhooly, M. Andreoli, J. Lewko, S. Luscinskas, E. Bojko. Second Row: S. Bloniarz, M. Marinaccio, L. Criscitelli, M. Maznicki, B. Burt. Bottom Row: D. Lester, C. Dumoulin, A. DiMaria.





Seated: J. Geisel, J. Pagani, D. Schrumpf, C. Dykon, B. Rowles, M. Reveruzzi. Standing: L. McManus, M. Dunton, C. Oliva, M. King, F. Moriarity, P. Fiocchetta, S. Finn, R. Dymersky.



Kneeling: G. Hannum, D. Katzbeck, R. Kuraitis, K. Goguts, C. Stankiewicz, P. Kazarnowicz. Standing: C. Walton, J. Sonski, D. Sylvester, M. Gleason, A. Shine, J. Gagnon, J. Sfreddo, M. Nowak.





As Jimmy Durante used to say . . .



"You do A, I'll do B . . ."

Sophomore Year Is . . .  
 Geometry  
 NEDT  
 cremesicles  
 "Little Women"  
 the Wildweeds  
 senior big sisters  
 dissecting your first worm  
 planting an evergreen tree  
 chocolate Santas  
 "Christopher Columbus"  
 Auxilium Latinum  
 playing giant steps  
 navy ties  
 "sweet sixteen"  
 Your first prom  
 farewell to your big sister



R-A-T-T-L-E-S-N-A-K-E spells rattlesnake.



"YOU should be class president!"





"Do I see a hidden camera?"



"Lara's Theme"—for the last time.



"You never know how many friends you have until you have a birthday cake!"



"Tired? Who looks tired?"





Mixed reactions.



“... trustful, friendly, and obliging”



Is this inter-class communication?





# THE CLASS



N. Lamont, Treasurer; C. Ligenza, Secretary; T. Labreche, Vice-President; R. Isabelle, President.



Kneeling: D. Buckley, N. Gwiazda, A. Middlaer, B. Dowden, T. Labreche, A. Smith, Standing: C. Dionne, C. Renna, M. Golas, K. Brown, H. Swartwout, S. Newell, E. Winter, J. Grigley.





Top Row: B. Michaud, C. Ligenza, E. Jamrogowicz, S. Orszak, B. McTigue. Middle Row: C. Ott, P. Prayzner, A. Zuorski, M. Peckenham, J. Geoffroy. Bottom Row: C. Paulhus, C. Staszko, B. Dowling, D. Fleming.



Seated: P. Percy, D. Devin, E. Wirz, S. D'Aleo, R. Isabelle, C. Eukers, Standing: M. Santoro, C. Bertinuson, K. Zarzycki, A. Dubiel, D. Caruso, A. Leppanen, C. Klaus, V. Tremko, N. Lamont.

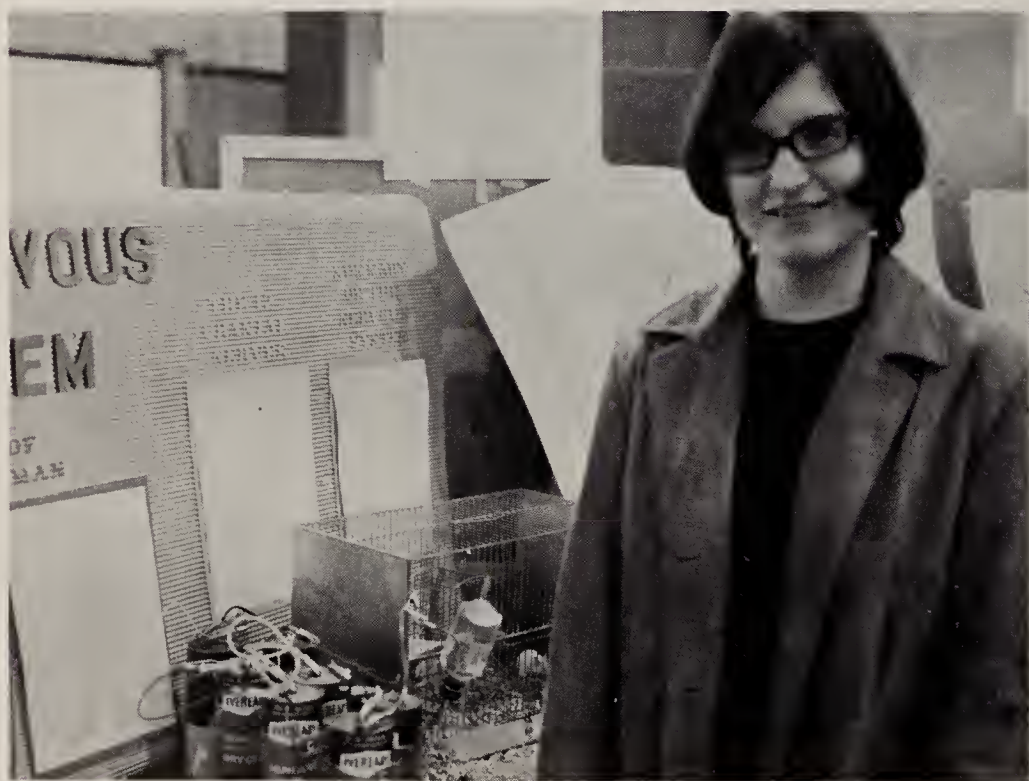




Freshman sit-in—another academy first.



"Take my picture and I won't buy any more of your grinders!"



Sue Newell proudly poses by her prize-winning science exhibit.

Freshman Year Is . . .  
 homeroom 202  
 Frosh Day  
 bakesales  
 Adoption  
 Algebra I  
 black ties  
 having a big sister  
 a private coatroom  
 your first retreat  
 bewilderment  
 Battle of Hastings, 1066  
 the year of construction  
 learning "Pep"  
 pandemonium



"What did you bother with pot luck for? I told you vanilla!"



Getting to know each other.





"Only 179 more days!"



Freshman bakesales offer competition to any bakery.



"How do you spell 'upandaboutsoon'?"

Freshmen are like that—yeah, they are.



Cookie jumps for joy?









# STUDENT LIFE





Santa Claus brings the holiday spirit to children at Viewpoint-sponsored Christmas party.

# VIEWPOINT



Gonzales children and friend joyfully pose for an Angelite "big sister".



Mutual gift of self.





Joanne Sponzo, president, presents the agenda for a monthly meeting.

## MISSION CLUB



Sr. Amabilis, moderator, and club members sort stamps to be sent to the missions.

## THIRD ORDER



Thanksgiving food drive sponsored by the Third Order proves most successful.





Miss Barbara McDonald was a featured speaker of the Future Teachers Club.

## FUTURE TEACHERS CLUB



Paula Bottaro questions Miss Franco after her engrossing talk on teaching in New York City.

## FUTURE NURSES CLUB



Girls hear first-hand report about the nursing profession.



## SCIENCE CLUB



Success or failure—science is a probing.



Dr. Tenerowicz speaks to students.

## BUSINESS CLUB



Business students practice typing skills.



Diane Kopec, president, opens a meeting.



## CHORALEERS



Music is our gift of self.



Guitarists oblige camera before entering chapel for Folk Mass.





## LIBRARY CIRCLE



Club members gain skill in library procedure.



Sr. Pontia familiarizes girls with the library's paperback section.

## GREAT BOOKS CLUB



Led by Sr. Mary Doloria, girls discuss a current best-seller.





The sights of Paris come alive to freshmen club members.

## FRENCH CLUB



Underclassmen learn to appreciate French literature.

## SPANISH CLUB



Girls listen with interest as Joan Sonski speaks about Spanish customs.





# BASKETBALL

## THE COMPETITIVE SPIRIT INFECTS OLA



Team members: top row: D. Katzbeck, P. DaSilva, C. Gegesky, D. Rudolf; second row: J. Dykon, V. Butler, P. Toce, N. Yuscavitch, P. Bottaro; third row: S. Griffith, C. Gagnon, N. Bardini (co-captain), Mrs. Leighton, Beverly Wyman (captain), C. Oliva.



Confident captain.







Opposing team members vie for the ball in a jump shot.



Support of the team is a game half won.



# C H E E R L



Varsity cheerleaders: Standing: M. Reveruzzi, J. Leonaitis (co-captain), D. Hunter, B. Burt. Seated: F. Vecchiolla (captain), P. Dudenhoefer, D. Cratty, M. Gilhooly, M. Marinaccio.

## ENTHUSIASM!

# A D E R S !



Junior Varsity cheerleaders: Standing: A. Lepannen, C. Zapulla (captain); Kneeling: M. Andreoli, E. Davis, M. Bolte, S. Helhoski, D. Lester, C. Dumoulin.







Come on, "8", shoot it in!

## GYMNASTICS



Flying Angels?!



R. Petrauskas, D. Perigard, D. Courtemanche, and J. Grigely exhibit their tumbling skills.



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Father Raczynski is the featured speaker at induction ceremony.

# NATIONAL HONOR INDUCTION



New members receive togas.





# SOCIETY

## IN ACTION



Pat Raber struggles with weenie rope.



Rainy weather brings cook—out IN!

The National Honor Society proved to be an important student organization in 1968. Upholding the principles of scholarship, leadership, service, and character, its members endeavored to foster school spirit and to promote greater student-teacher communication. The first of its kind, the Society-sponsored student meeting was met with great enthusiasm. The profits of two hotdog sales, matched dollar-for-dollar by the administration, resulted in the awarding of six partial scholarships to academy underclassmen.













## EVENTS



# ALL UNDER ONE ROOF



Lights! Camera! Action! Freshmen!



"My doll's bigger than your doll!"



"Consider yourself one of us!"

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# ADOPTION

## JUNIORS AND FROSH BECOME "SISTERS"



Big sisters protest the cause of love for freshmen.



Mary Ellen, Sue, and Marty serenade via 'WOLA Radio'.



'Cleaning lady' Tina brings slapstick to OLA.



## MOTHER-DAUGHTER TEA



Angelite mothers prepare pastries for the Tea.



Students and mothers socialize in a transformed cafeteria.

## FATHER-DAUGHTER SUPPER



Daughters of Guild officers share the head table with their fathers and featured speaker.



# NATIONAL CATHOLIC



Nancy Bardini leaps for a rebound at Sports Night game.



Career Day speakers present professional outlooks on their respective occupations.





# EDUCATION WEEK



Mock Council meeting shows OLA actual parliamentary procedures.



Anne Greaves introduces the Senior Panel, "Christ in the Modern World."



Religion IV students conduct their Education Week program.





"Of course I take my job seriously!"

## GRINDER SALE

# P H A L L O W E E N R V A L E N T I N E I S



Cheryl, Gigi, and mystery guest.



Fun . . . food . . . friends.



"I think my ulcer is kicking up again."







"And away we go!"



"Psst, Father! Pick mine!"



"WOW!"





# PROMS



Gigi Gunther and escort are ready to leave for the Christmas Ball at which she will be crowned queen.



Sitting one out.

## *Sleighride to the Stars*



Something—or someone—has caught Kathy Casey's attention.



The Johnny Niccolini Orchestra provided music for OLA's holiday dance.





Elegant Angelite debates merit of shoes for her evening outfit.



Chaperones Mr. and Mrs. Krochalis share in the festivities at Hotel America.

### *Daisies and Daydreams*



Chairman Joan O'Neill and her date engage in after—dinner conversation.



"I know you tried to help, but you put the film in backwards!"





Enfield students serve as political officials at town meeting.

# YOUTH IN GOVERNMENT DAY



"Vote sensibLEE"







Mary Marinaccio places the traditional sophomore time capsule into the ground with their evergreen tree.

## ARBOR DAY

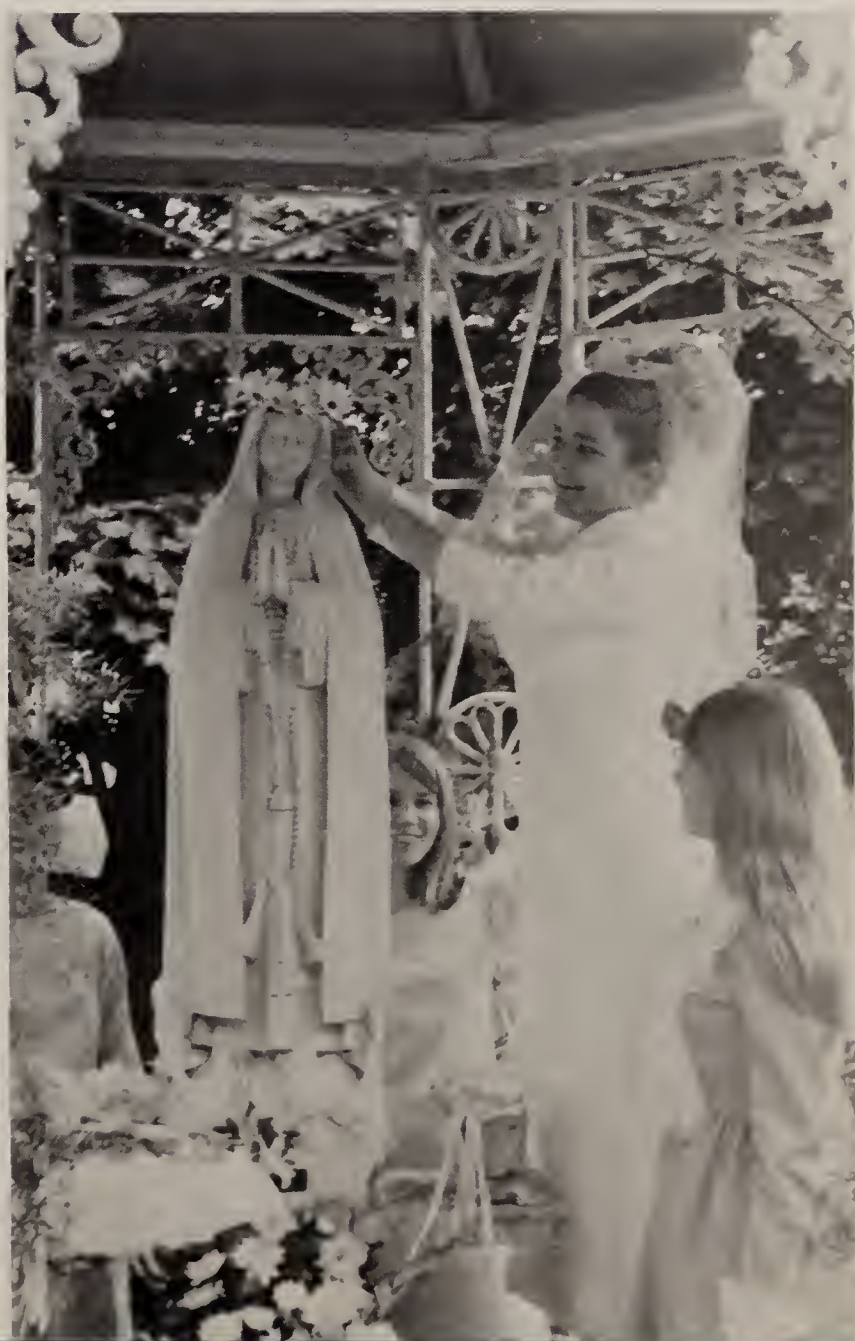


Maureen Gilhooly presents the Arbor Day proclamation of the governor.

## CORONATION



Seniors lead the student body in song at the May crowning ceremony.







## RETREAT

Seniors prepare their table for the Agape celebration, highlight of their retreat.



Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors listen attentively to their retreat master, Father Joe.





To God,  
Who gives joy to our youth.



Understanding . . . sharing . . . friendship.



Father Matt joins students in 'love feast'.



# HAPPINESS IS...RING DAY







Betty Wolnick receives her class ring from Father Krastel.



"Girls in Clover"—the unforgettable freshman production.



Junior class president, Nancy Bardini, presents offering of flowers to Our Lady.



## ROMAN



Seniors pause in the whirlwind of St. Peter's Square to capture a moment of a most memorable trip.



Greetings upon landing at Leonardo daVinci Airport, Rome!



Cosmopolitan Angelites frolic outside the Coliseum.



# HOLIDAY!



Highlight of the trip—a private audience with our Holy Father, Pope Paul VI.



Maureen fills in for Girardo.



Will Sr. Consolata take advantage of the vendor's 'special bargain'?





Girardo, Alessandro, Pucci—our obliging guides.



An Italian ice cream treat coming right up!



Homeward bound, dreaming of the glory that was Rome.



Touches of home in the Roman Forum: Pepsi, bargaining, a sunny afternoon.





Together . . . happy . . . cold . . . in Montreal.



"My senior trip finally comes and I have to get my head stuck in a window!"



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"With a little bit of luck maybe he'll mark it Paris!"

CANADA







"Are we out of the country yet?"



Pat Dudenhoefer takes in a magnificent view of Montreal.





# FACULTY



Joan O'Neill presents class advisor, Sr. Amabilis, with flowers, symbol of the seniors' appreciation.

# DAY

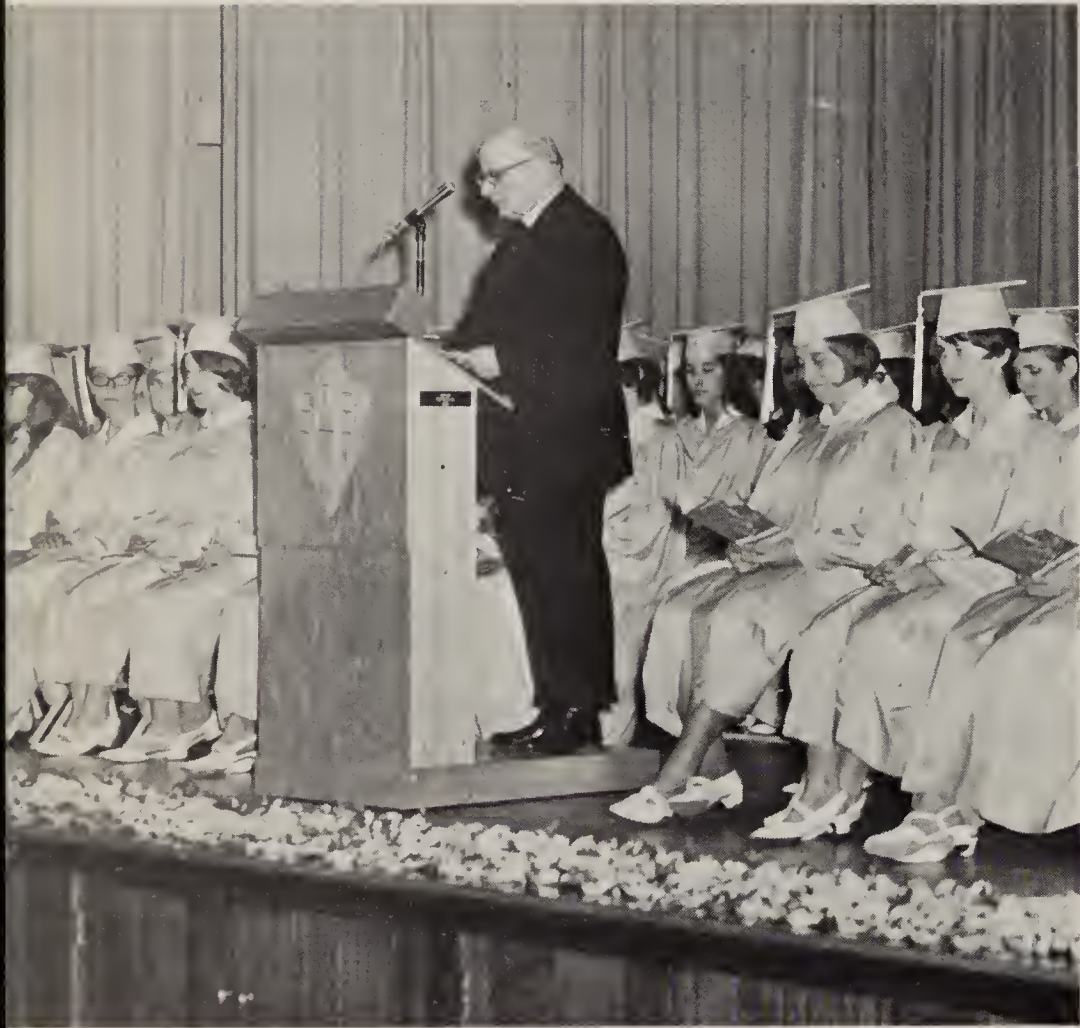


Class will, read by Andrea Krochalis, unveils the future year of 1984 to '68 graduates.





# CLASS NIGHT







*"THIS SYMBOL OF ACADEMY LIFE,  
AND ALL ITS MEANING, TOO."*





# GRADUATION







JUNE 9, 1968













## EPILOGUE

Silver etched on navy blue,  
the star encompasses, overshadows the world.  
Our Christian heritage, too,  
binds us to, and yet separates us from  
the world.

The tips of the star-  
reaching out eternally;  
the constancy of the lines,  
never beginning, never ending:  
symbolic of our continuing efforts.

For we have just begun.

United in our search for truth  
we are striving to find  
our place in the world,  
to form and mold our values and ideas,  
to better our lives.

Four years is small  
beside eternity.

Yet in this time,  
we have grown to know the meaning  
of love.

Sharing our joys and sorrows,  
our hopes and fears,  
we have come to realize the meaning  
of brotherhood.

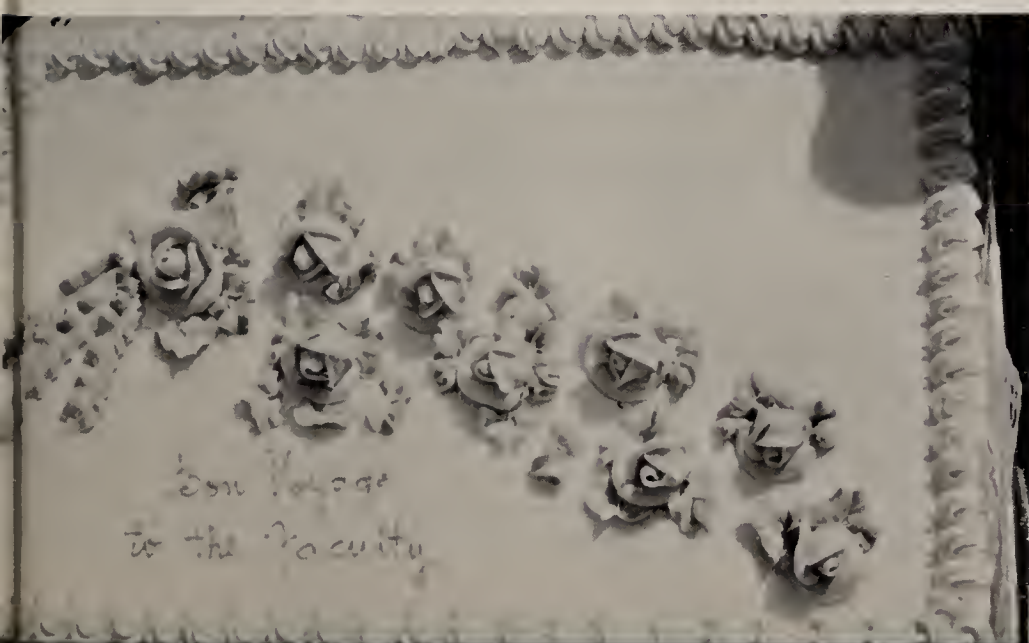
As we leave,  
each to accept her chosen vocation,  
memories of successful efforts  
bring hope for our futures.

We are not afraid to accept  
the challenge,  
for we have made  
a beginning.



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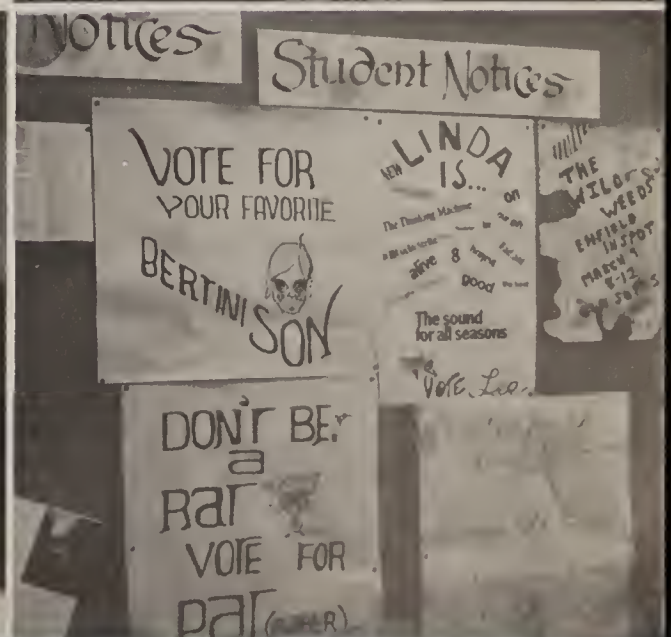
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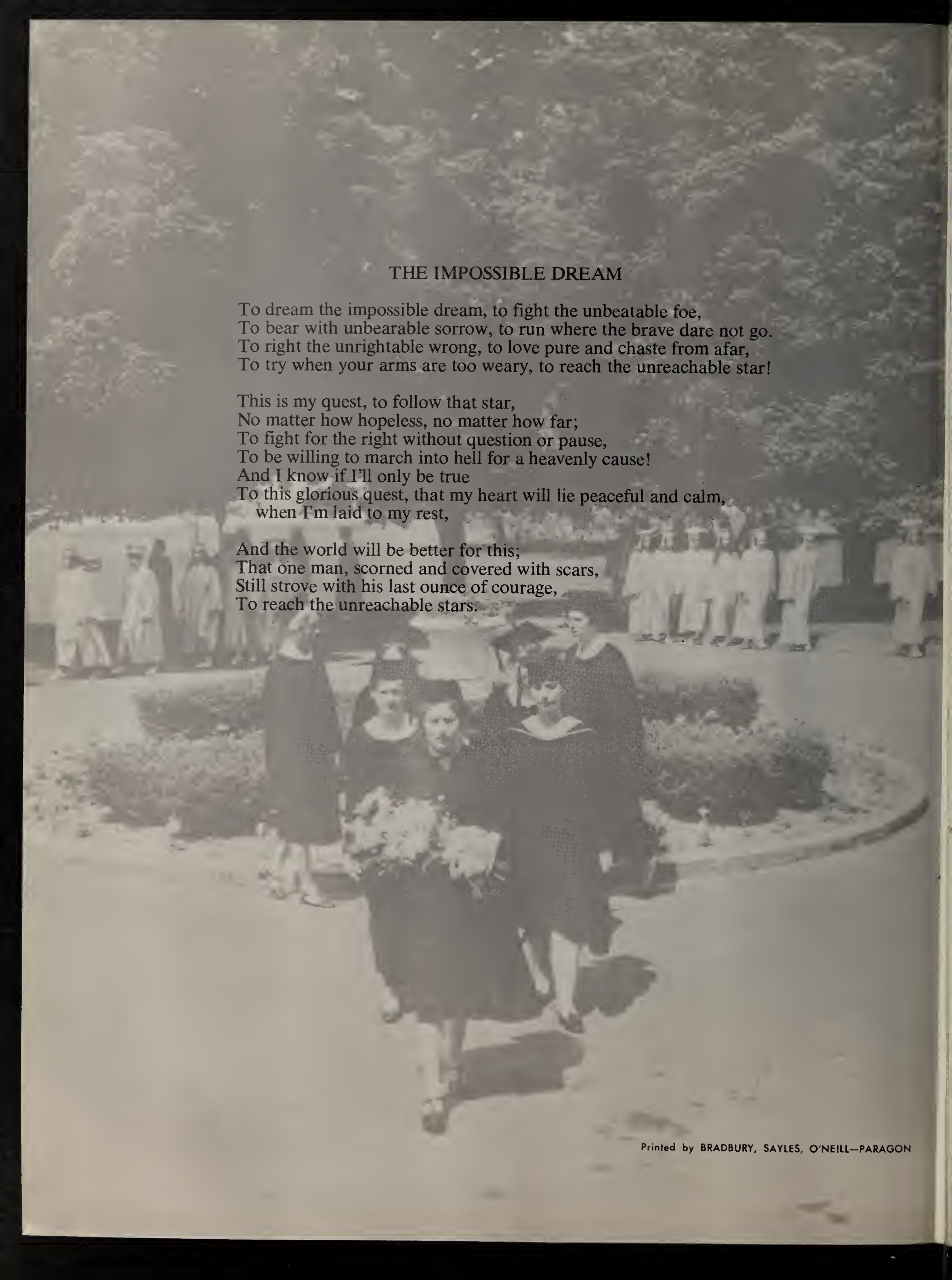
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## THE IMPOSSIBLE DREAM

To dream the impossible dream, to fight the unbeatable foe,  
To bear with unbearable sorrow, to run where the brave dare not go.  
To right the unrightable wrong, to love pure and chaste from afar,  
To try when your arms are too weary, to reach the unreachable star!

This is my quest, to follow that star,  
No matter how hopeless, no matter how far;  
To fight for the right without question or pause,  
To be willing to march into hell for a heavenly cause!  
And I know if I'll only be true  
To this glorious quest, that my heart will lie peaceful and calm,  
when I'm laid to my rest,

And the world will be better for this;  
That one man, scorned and covered with scars,  
Still strove with his last ounce of courage,  
To reach the unreachable stars.



